

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Bernice Bouie Donald, of Tennessee, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit.

Arenda L. Wright Allen, of Virginia, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia.

Michael Francis Urbanski, of Virginia, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Virginia.

Claire C. Cecchi, of New Jersey, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey.

Esther Salas, of New Jersey, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey.

Mark Raymond Hornak, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

Robert David Mariani, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Pennsylvania.

John Andrew Ross, of Missouri, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri.

Christopher R. Thyer, of Arkansas, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Arkansas for the term of four years. **Page S8356**

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 7:32 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, December 2, 2010. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S8356.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

MORTGAGE SERVICING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed hearings to examine problems

in mortgage servicing from modification to foreclosure, after receiving testimony from Phyllis Caldwell, Chief of Homeownership Preservation Office, and John Walsh, Acting Comptroller of the Currency, both of the Department of the Treasury; Sheila C. Bair, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; Daniel K. Tarullo, Member, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Edward J. DeMarco, Acting Director, Federal Housing Finance Agency; Terence Edwards, Fannie Mae, Haddonfield, New Jersey; Donald Bisenius, Freddie Mac, Fairfax, Virginia; Tom Deutsch, American Securitization Forum, New York, New York; and Kurt Eggert, Chapman University School of Law, Orange, California.

NASA AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the NASA Authorization Act of 2010, focusing on transition and implementation, after receiving testimony from John P. Holdren, Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy, Executive Office of the President of the United States; Elizabeth M. Robinson, Chief Financial Officer, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Cristina T. Chaplain, Director, Acquisition and Sourcing Management, and Susan A. Poling, Managing Associate General Counsel, both of the Government Accountability Office.

HEALTH INSURANCE

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded a hearing to examine mini med policies, after receiving testimony from Stephen Finan, American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network, and Aaron Smith, Young Invincibles, both of Washington, D.C.; Rich Floersch, McDonald's Corporation, Oak Brook, Illinois; Timothy Stoltzfus Jost, Washington and Lee University School of Law, Lexington, Virginia; Devon M. Herrick, National Center for Policy Analysis, Dallas, Texas; and Eugene Melville, Riverside, California.

U.S. POLICY REGARDING LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine Latin America in 2010, focusing on opportunities, challenges, and the future of the United States policy in the hemisphere, after receiving testimony from Mark L. Schneider, International Crisis Group, Cynthia J. Arnson, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars Latin American Program, Joy Olson, Washington Office on Latin America, and Jaime Daremblum, Hudson Institute Center for Latin American Studies, all of Washington, D.C.